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December 13, 2019

BY ECF

The Honorable J. Paul Oetken United States District Judge United States Courthouse 40 Foley Square New York, New York 10007

Re: <u>United States</u> v. <u>Stephan Mahabir</u>, 17 Cr. 346 (JPO)

Dear Judge Oetken:

The Government, with the consent of the defendant, respectfully writes to request a sixmonth adjournment of the sentencing date scheduled in the above-referenced case, which is currently scheduled for December 17, 2019 at 11:00 a.m.

The defendant pleaded guilty on June 1, 2017, pursuant to a cooperation agreement with the Government. The defendant testified in a criminal trial—*United States v. Michael Mendlowitz*, 17 Cr. 248 (VSB)—that concluded on May 23, 2019. The sentencing date for Michael Mendlowitz is adjourned pending a *Fatico* hearing, which has not yet been scheduled. Accordingly, the defendant's cooperation is not yet complete. The Government respectfully requests that the defendant's sentencing date be adjourned for a period of six months. The defendant consents to the Government's request.

Granted.

The sentencing control date is hereby adjourned to June 17, 2020, at 10:00 am.

So ordered.

December 13, 2019

Respectfully submitted,

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J. PAUL OETKEN

United States District Judge